

MISSIONS MOMENT

*getting to
know our
missionaries*

Influence International/Daya Homes



DAYA
EMPOWERING CHILDREN



PHÓS
CHURCH PLANTING



JEVA
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT



DOULOS
RAISING LEADERS



This area of Influence International focuses on creating a place for children in India and Nepal where they can receive the love and support they need to bring spiritual, social, physical and economic transformation. There are currently 2 boys and 1 girls home.

This area of Influence International focuses on planting churches to reach the hundreds of millions of people in India and Nepal that have never heard the Gospel message. This group has helped plant over 400 churches in the past 24 years.

This area of Influence International focuses on helping communities develop holistic change and transformation through the gospel message. JEVA helps focus specifically on meeting the spiritual, social and economic needs of each community.

This area of Influence International focuses on the development of leaders and church planting. The vision for PHOS is to establish Bible teaching institutes in India and Nepal to equip native men and women to work in their own communities.

Please pray for Abraham & Molly Pothen as often as they come to mind. They have such a heart to serve God and spread His love to the people of their native country, India.

God miraculously brought them from places of poverty, and allowed them to serve Him and receive opportunity

ties for higher education. Abraham holds a PhD in Anthropology/Missions from Fuller Theological Seminary, Pasadena, CA. Molly has a Doctor of Missiology from Fuller Theological Seminary.

In addition to their ministry with Influence International, Abraham serves as the Vice President of Sharon Fellowship Churches in India and Molly is the General Secretary of the Women's Department for the same fellowship.

Pastor Kris has spent many nights praying and seeking God with Abraham and Molly for vision and provision in the lives of the people they have an opportunity to reach.

Welcome To Hope Springs We're Glad You're Here Today!

Our Sunday Services are designed to help you encounter the power of God and point you to Jesus. We do this through powerful music, engaging prayer time and messages that are not with persuasive words but the power of the Holy Spirit.

For Your Children we have a safe, fun and engaging environment for all ages 5th grade and under. Please make certain you sign your kids in each week.

Kid's For Christ (K-5th Grade) is a high energy area where all students have the gospel message explained to them in a way and format they can understand and grasp. Bible stories and scripture memorization are normal and students will have an opportunity to learn on a level of their understanding.

Jr. Kids' Church (3-4 year olds) is a fun setting where preschoolers engage in an experience to discover who Jesus is and how they can know Him. They learn games, songs and discover other ways of learning about Jesus.

Nursery (0-24 months) is a safe, well staffed area filled with love, music, warmth and prayer so parents will have peace of mind as they worship in the sanctuary.

We highly encourage you to take full advantage of our awesome Young Believers area so you and everyone else can enjoy a distraction free experience.

If you have a child in service please sit near the exit and be prepared to remove babies that need special attention.

Please Help Us.

We desire to provide a distraction free experience. You can help by silencing all cell phones before service and refrain from texting during the service.

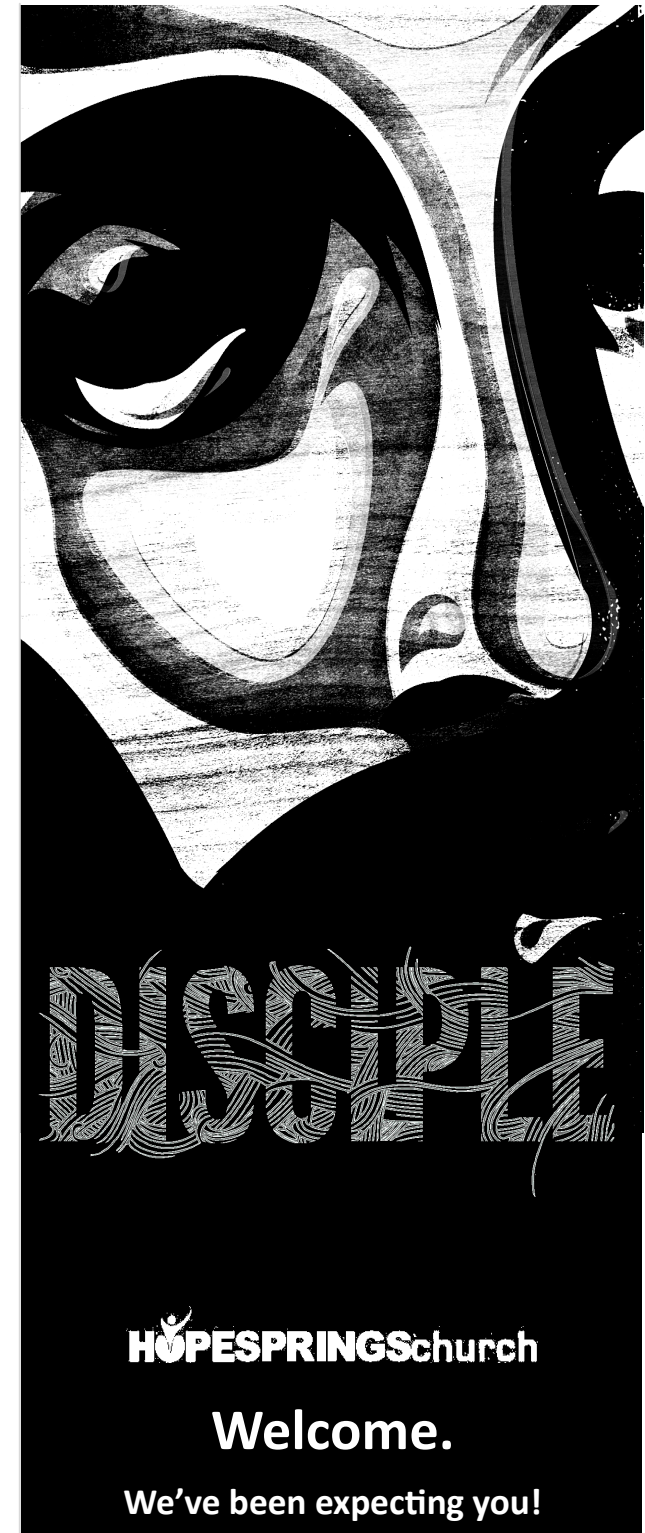
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Message Series: Disciple
Today's Message: No Christians Allowed
Speaker: Pastor Kris Young
September 29, 2013

Hope Springs Church

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Sunday Services @ 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.



Today For Young Believers

Kids 4 Christ (K-5th Grade)

Today's Lesson: Pinch Hitter: John
Today's Leaders: Rose Daigle
Bob Maudsley
Today's Memory Verse: "Whatever you do, whether
in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord
Jesus." Colossians 3:17
Unit Verse: "Come follow me," Jesus said, "and I will
make you fishers of men." Matthew 4:19

Jr. Kids Church (3-4 Year Olds)

Today's Lesson: God Sends Frogs.
Today's Leaders: Kim Misuraca
Jody Waugh
Renee Fagerquist
Today's Memory Verse: Great is our Lord. Psalm
147:5
Unit Verse: My help comes from the Lord. Psalm
121:2

Nursery (0-24 Months)

Today's Leaders: Jennifer Kasper
Cindy Colombaro

Our Directional Leadership Team

Pastoral Staff

Lead Pastor Kris Young
First Impressions Pastor Jada Young
Young Believers Pastor Jenna Barnett
Hope Team Pastor Sam Stovall
Worship/Youth Pastor Frank Randall
Administrator Jody Waugh

Official Board

Bob Maudsley Marc Mersereau
Ron Mrozik Joe Mullen
Jeremy Steppen

Attendance & Missions Statistics

Last Weekend's Attendance: 163
2013 Missions Giving: \$12,740.76
2013 BGMC Giving: \$1,478.76



First Impressions — Greeter

Time Commitment: Once or twice per month
Contact: Jada Young
jada@myhopesprings.com
Who: 11th Grade & Up

Young Believers — Kids 4 Christ

Time Commitment: Once or twice per month
Contact: Jenna Barnett
jenna@myhopesprings.com
Who: 11th Grade & Up

Young Believers — Jr. Kids Church (3-4 Year Olds)

Time Commitment: Once or twice per month
Contact: Jenna Barnett
jenna@myhopesprings.com
Who: 9th Grade & Up

First Impressions — Next Step Host

Time Commitment: Twice per month
Contact: Jody Waugh
jody@myhopesprings.com
Who: Adults

Hope Teams — Host or Facilitators for Winter 2013

Time Commitment: Once per week for 13 weeks.
Contact: Pastor Sam Stovall
sam@myhopesprings.com
Who: Adult Members of Hope Springs

First Impressions — Parking Team

Time Commitment: Twice per month
Contact: Jeremy Steppen
jwsteppen@cox.net
Who: Adults

Media Team — Camera Operator

Time Commitment: Twice per month
Contact: Pastor Kris
pastorkris@myhopesprings.com
Who: 11th Grade & Up

Our Mission

Hope Springs Church exists to shamelessly glorify God
by making disciples through Spirit-Filled worship,
Spirit-Filled community & Spirit-Filled expansion.



Safenet

For the month of October, we will be collecting spa-
ghetti sauce and personal care items for Safenet. You
can put items in the blue bin located in the foyer.
Thank you for your support.

Children's Ministry Meeting

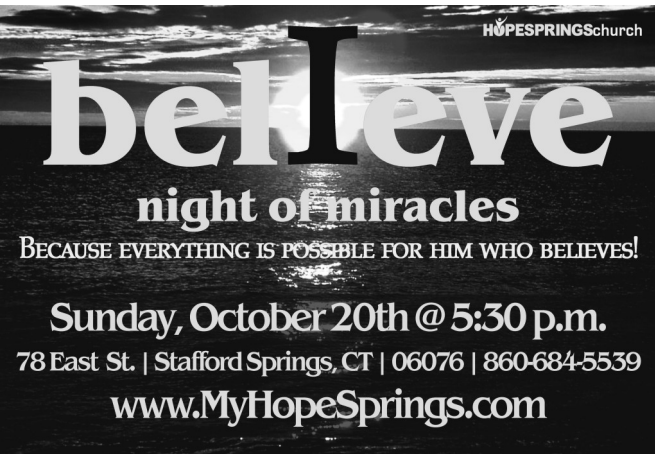
For all those who participate, adults and youth, we will
be meeting Oct. 4th, 6:30 pm. We will be reviewing
expectations and changes. Anyone interested in help-
ing in this area, should also attend this meeting or con-
tact : jenna@myhopesprings.com for more details.

Pastor Appreciation Dinner

On October 19th at 6:00 pm, we will be having a pot
luck dinner here to honor our Pastors. We would ask
that each family bring your favorite dish to share with
others. We will be putting cards in the foyer for all the
Hope Springs family to sign. We will also be collecting
money to give to each Pastor at that time as well. Let's
have an attitude of gratitude and pour blessings out on
the Pastor's that have done so much for us.

Revive Youth Service

Starting Oct. 4th, Fridays from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m., teenag-
ers of Hope Springs will gather together to experience
God in a real and meaningful way. To build relationships
with other teenagers, have a powerful time of worship
and spend time seeking Jesus. Contact Pastor Frank for
more details at frank@myhopesprings.com.



Hope Team Talk It Over Notes

Talking through the message throughout & during the
week with your Hope Team, family or friends, will
help you turn what God is saying to you into action
steps as you move forward.

Begin with the scriptures & key questions & feel free
to add any additional scriptures or questions that you
may have come up with or think about during your
conversation. Be sure to wrap up in prayer & decide
on Next Steps.

- ◆ What is one idea from today's message that real-
ly stuck out to you?
- ◆ Why do you think this grabbed your attention?

With your Bible or youversion.com read
Luke 14:25-35, Mark 1:40-45, Matthew 9:9-13,
Luke 13:10-17 & Matthew 12:9-14

- ◆ Talk about what the word "Christian" means to
you and your family?
- ◆ Focus on the differences of what it may have
meant to your parents and grandparents as you
grew up and what it means to you now?
- ◆ What are your thoughts about using the phrase
"Disciple" or "Follower of Christ" as compared to
"Christian"?
- ◆ What do you think your unsaved friends think
about the word "Christian"?
- ◆ How can you go about helping them really un-
derstand what a "Follower of Christ " or
"Disciple" really should be?
- ◆ Who are the Lepers or Prostitutes that God may
be calling you to?
- ◆ What are your next steps to doing something
about it?

Join us next week at 8:30 or 10:30 a.m. as we talk
about "Going Fishing". You can watch any message
you missed on our website.

Successful Hope Team Meeting Checklist

- ☐ Time of Fellowship
- ☐ Icebreaker
- ☐ Extended Time of Prayer
- ☐ Discussion